

## **REMARKS**

By this paper, no claims are amended or added, and claims 11-13, 17-22, 34-132, and 153-156 are cancelled without prejudice and without disclaimer. Accordingly, claims 1-10, 14-16, 23-33, and 133-152 are all of the pending claims.

This amendment has been made solely for the purpose of reducing the issues on appeal, and does not change the scope of any of the pending claims. As such, the amendment should be entered under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116. Notice to that effect is anticipated.

If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

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